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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on January 13, 2003 in the above-identified application. A three month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action is requested. A Petition for Extension of Time and a check for the appropriate fee is enclosed herewith. Reconsideration and further examination are requested.

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